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of Utah's historical medals tokens and bottles

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Promptness Prize: Free drawing for
those who come to the meeting on time

Game Prizes: Earn tickets to win from
an assortment of selected prizes

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NUTS Coin and Token Show

June 24 & 25 2005

Larry H. Miller Conference Center
9750 South 300 West

See inside for your assignments

June

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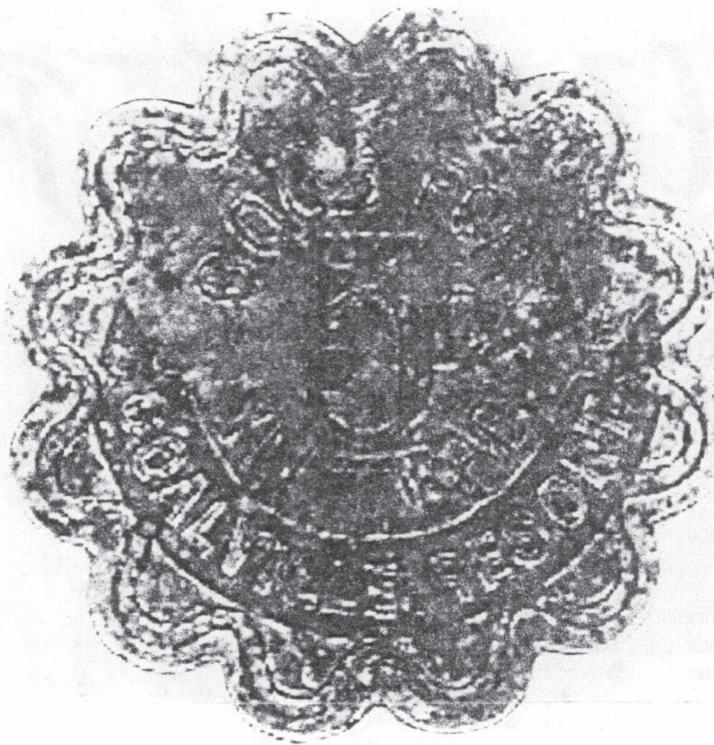
Thursday, June 23, 7:00 PM
Larry H. Miller Conference Center
9750 South 300 West

Rich Holt
will talk about
**Cleaning Bottles and
Collecting Utah Bottles**

President's Message

The club dig at Cumberland produced a fine assortment of items, everything from bone buttons to brass buttons.

(Karen was able to add to her overall button collection, the Mountaineer, Red Ball, Crown, and a railroad button). There were many clay marbles, three miner tags, a hunting knife blank which had not yet been ground to an edge, a "Hickory" garter belt snap, a 1907 grade nail, doll pieces, glass bottle tops, canning lids with glass inserts, a nice 5 oz. cork bottle from "Whitemore," Boston, USA, bone cufflinks, a German medal, a church medallion, and finally a token for 5 cents in trade from "Coalville Resort." Anyone who can help locate info on this token, probably from Coalville, Utah, let me know.



Rich

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June 23, 2005 NUTS Meeting At the Larry Miller Center

Promptness Prize

Those who come to the meeting on time and sign the log book, might win the drawing for a nice coin.

Find of the Month Bring your best finds since last meeting.

Game of Skill Try for your favorite prize, and have fun.

Rich Holt will talk about Cleaning Bottles and Collecting Utah Bottles

Set up for Coin Show We will unload some display cases from the trailer, and do whatever else needs to be done to prepare the tables for the show. We will keep track of who helps to set up and take down, and who helps at the hospitality table, and those people will receive extra tickets at the Christmas party.

Last Meeting

Several people brought in examples of things they collect.

Brian Jessop collects toy trucks and cars, coins, marbles and stamps.

Leo Vera collects South American tokens.

Lyn Bernhard talked about a Constantine coin

Leara Bernhard collects unique puppets and stuffed animals, business cards, M & M candy machines, antique needle work (she showed us a tatted doily from the 1930's) Victorian art and post cards, and calling cards.

Karen Secor brought a collection of kerosene lamps.

Mary Farnsworth brought a collection of Beanie Babies

DJ Farnsworth collects shot glasses, belt buckles, and lighters

Eldon Farnsworth collects tokens, bird houses, Pokeymon cards, basketball cards, and fire related things (toy fire trucks, and fire statues)

Rich Secor brought his Ogden drug bottles

The NUTS unanimously accepted the bylaws as printed in the May 2005 newsletter.

Preparations were made for the June 24 & 24 Coin and Token Show.

All members are encouraged to put a display in the show. The entry form is in this newsletter.

Don Swain took orders for the 2005 NUTS medals. They should be ready for the June meeting and for the show. He has also placed ads in some of the coin collecting periodicals. Several people volunteered to paste addresses on postcards and mail them out in time to remind all of our customers about the show. Tables for this show have sold out faster than any of our previous shows. Setup will be at our Thursday meeting at the Larry Miller center. Takedown will start at 6 pm Saturday. Volunteers for the Hospitality Table are as follows:

	Friday	Saturday
10:00-noon	DJ Farnsworth, Mary Farnsworth	Leonardo Vera
noon-2:00	Eldon Farnsworth, Brian Jessop	Leonardo Vera
2:00-4:00	Karen Secor	
4:00-7:00	Lynn Bernhard	Karen Secor, Mary Farnsworth

We still need a few more people to sign up. Don't forget, there are rewards for this at the Christmas party.

Find of the Month Winners in May

US COIN 1. 1934 Mercury Dime----Leo Vera 2. 1970 s Nickel----Karen Secor 3. 1959 Penny----Rich Secor

FOREIGN COIN 1. 1927 Phillipines 20----Leo Vera

TOKEN (tie) 1. Vincent Brothers G/F 50 cents----Leo Vera 1. 25 Pieces of Eight----Rich Secor

JEWELRY 1. Gold Cufflink----Rich Secor 2. Red Bead----Karen Secor
3. Gold Plated Pocket Watch----Leo Vera

ARTIFACT 1. Scout----Mary Farnsworth 2. Glass Drawer Pull---Rich Secor
3. Toy Cookie Cutter----Karen Secor 3. Brass Lock ----Leo Vera

BUTTON 1. Osh Kosh B-gosh----Karen Secor 2. Navy Button----Leo Vera
2. Lightener Overall----Rich Secor 3. Wooden Coat Button---Mary Farnsworth

NON-METAL 1. Bourbon Bottle Cap----Rich Secor 2. Stapelt Deodorant Bottle----Mary Farnsworth
3. Star Wars Tool Belt----Karen Secor 4. Electric Holder----Leo Vera

MARBLE (tie) 1. White & Orange----Karen Secor 1. Red, Brown & White----Rich Secor
2. Orange, White & Gray----Leo Vera

OLDEST US COIN (none)

OLDEST US CENT 1. 1896---- Leo Vera 2. 1918----Karen Secor 3. 1935 s----Rich Secor

MOST VALUABLE U.S. COIN (none)

BOTTLE 1. Green Bottle, pre-1900's----Mary Farnsworth 3. Sanfords Ink----Rich Secor
4. Sun Babe----Karen Secor 4. Kaukauna Club Dairy Cup----Leo Vera

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Up Coming Events

June 23 NUTS Meeting

Larry Miller Conference Center, 9750 South 300 West, 7:00 p.m.

June 24 & 25 NUTS Coin and Token Show

Larry Miller Conference Center, 9750 South 300 West, 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

July 21 NUTS Meeting, Redwood Multipurpose Center, 7:00 p.m.

Aug 25 NUTS Picnic 6:30 p.m. location to be announced

THE HERMITAGE

Bill Wilson was born in Ireland, came to Utah and built a large sawmill above Ogden. The lumber was needed to build houses for all the immigrants coming into Utah. His mill was powered by the fast-flowing Ogden River. He was a large man, over 6 feet tall, and over 300 pounds. People crowded around to hear him tell stories, and he often sent wagon loads of free firewood to needy families in Ogden.

The problem with lumber mills is that eventually all the timber in the area is cut down, and the mill must close. His mill pond was already a popular boating and swimming spot, so in 1905, Billie Wilson built a first class hotel above the pond. There was central heating and modern plumbing, electric lights, a dance floor, a merry-go-round, and public and private dinning rooms. The menu offered mountain trout, quail, pheasant, partridge, steak, or oysters. Rich and famous people from all over the world came to enjoy "The Hermitage." Guests included presidents William Howard Taft, and Theodore Roosevelt, and Italian composer Leon Pavalli.

Billie Wilson died in the flu epidemic in 1918. The Hermitage continued to operate until 1939 when it was destroyed by a huge explosion and fire.

Tokens from the Hermitage are rare, and in high demand.



Billie Wilson.



NATIONAL UTAH TOKEN SOCIETY
SALT LAKE CITY COIN AND TOKEN SHOW
EXHIBITION RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Exhibits must be entered in one of the following categories
 1. Tokens and Medals
 2. U.S. and/or Foreign coins
 3. Currency and Scriptophily
 4. Junior
 5. Hand-held collectibles (other than those listed previously)
2. The point system used in the judging of the exhibits are as follows:
 - 35 pts.....Information measured in terms of educational value to the viewer.
 - 30 pts.....Arrangement and Originality, Manner of Presentation.
 - 15 pts.....Completeness, Range, Scope, and Variety of Coverage shown by the exhibit
As it relates to the exhibit title or theme.
 - 10 pts.....Condition, Quality of exhibit material compared to the highest known quality
of like material.
 - 10 pts.....Rarity, considering condition of exhibit material.
3. Awards will be given by the Exhibit Chairman to 1st and 2nd places in each category, People's Choice, and Best of Show. All other exhibitors will receive a participation award.
4. Exhibitors **must be a member of one of the Utah Coin Clubs. Exhibitors may have only one (1) exhibit per exhibitor. Entries will be accepted on a first-come, first-reserve basis according to these rules until all available space is allocated.** Applications will be accepted until **ONE (1) DAY** before the show begins.
5. Exhibits **must be set up by 10:00 A.M. on the first day of the show.** **Take down and Clean-up may begin at the earliest TWO (2) HOURS before the show ends and must be complete at the latest ONE (1) HOUR after the show ends.**

(Please Print)

APPLICATION TO EXHIBIT

I, _____, am a member of _____ (Utah Coin Club) and I wish to exhibit in the **SALT LAKE CITY COIN AND TOKEN SHOW**. I agree to follow the above mentioned rules and regulations. I understand that neither the National Utah Token Society, its members, nor its officers are liable for any loss or damage to my exhibit.

Category Entered: (check one) #1 _____ #2 _____ #3 _____ #4 _____ #5 _____

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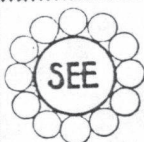
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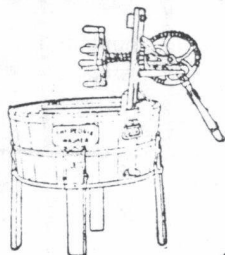
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